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Applicant: Noriko YAGI ET AL. Conf.: 8192
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For: A RUBBER COMPOSITION FOR TIRE TREADS AND
PNEUMATIC TIRE HAVING A TREAD MADE OF SUCH
COMPOSITION

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

February 17, 2005

Sir:

Responsive to the Examiner's Office Action dated December 23, 2004,
the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in
connection with the above-identified application.

This reply includes amendments to the Claims and Remarks